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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1711  
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

MASAHIRO NOZAKI

CASE NO.: AD 6506 US NA

APPLICATION NO.: 09/180,943

GROUP ART UNIT: 1711

FILED: NOVEMBER 18, 1998

EXAMINER: U. RAJGURU

FOR: AROMATIC POLYAMIDE RESIN  
COMPOSITION HAVING EXCELLENT  
BALANCE OF TOUGHNESS AND  
STIFFNESS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application,  
recently filed as a continued prosecution application, as  
follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

In Claim 1, after "the weight T of said impact" add -  
modifier --.

REMARKS

Applicant's Invention

The claims of the present application are directed to  
compositions of aromatic polyamide resins having a